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Leroy J. Ohlsen et al.

Application No.

09/858,327

Filed

May 15, 2001

For

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Docket No.

690089.401C5

Date

September 14, 2001

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 17, 2001, please find enclosed the following documents:

✓ Fee

✓ Form PTO/SB17 (+ 1 copy)

✓ Declaration and Power of Attorney

✓ Revocation and Substitute Power of Attorney

✓ Copy of Assignment

✓ Declaration, IDS + Cited References

✓ Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts

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Respectfully submitted,

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	ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)						
Fee Transmittal Form Fee Attached		declaration(s) ime Request donment sclosure im PTO-1449 ses of Priority lissing Parts R. 1.52 or 1.53	☐ Assignment Papers (for an Application) ☐ Drawing(s) ☐ After Allowance ☐ Request for Corrected Filing Communication to Group ☐ Receipt ☐ Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences ☐ Petition ☐ Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Status Letter ☐ Return Receipt Postcard ☐ Status Letter ☐ Additional Enclosure(s) ☐ After Allowance Communication to Group ☐ Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Status Letter ☐ Additional Enclosure(s) ☐ After Allowance ☐ Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Status Letter ☐ Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Status Letter ☐ Copy of Formalities Letter ☐ Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) ☐ Proprietary Information ☐ Copy of Formalities Letter ☐ Copy of Formalities Letter				
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:			3. ADDITIONAL FEES Large Entity Small			Faa		
Deposit		Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	
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	Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17	147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
and cre	edit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number above.	112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SiR prior to Examiner action		
	ant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SiR after Examiner action		
	ent Enclosed:	115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month		
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	FEE CALCULATION	117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month		
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Large Entity	Small Entity	128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month		
Fee Fee	Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Fee Paid	119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal		
Code (\$) 101 710		120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
	333	121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing		
106 320 107 490	206 160 Design filing fee 207 245 Plant filing fee	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
108 710	208 355 Reissue filing fee	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
114 150	214 75 Provisional filling fee	141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive – unintentional		
·	SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 355	142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES		143	440	243	220	Design issue fee		
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l	Claims below Paid	122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\vdash	
Total 4	0 = 20 x 9 = 180	123	130	123	130	Petitions related to provisional applications		
Independent Claims 6	= 3 × 40 = 120	126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
Multiple Dependent	x = 0	581	40	581	, 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
Large Entity Fee Fee	Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Description	146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
Code (\$) 103 18	Code (\$) 203 9 Claims in excess of 20	149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
102 80 104 270	202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
109 80	209 40 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		
110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)300 **or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see above		Other fee (specify)						
		*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 65						
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

 Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$300.
 - \$180 for 20 total claims over 20.
 - \$120 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The balance due by applicant is \$ 720.

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